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STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT
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Bill Number:	S. 0996	Signed by Governor on February 6, 2020
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Subject:	Public Utilities Review Committee	
Requestor:	Senate	
RFA Analyst(s):	Coomer and Miller	
Impact Date:	November 20, 2020	

Fiscal Impact Summary

This bill will have no expenditure impact because screening candidates is an activity that occurs within the normal scope of the agency's business.

Explanation of Fiscal Impact

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State Expenditure

This bill required the Public Utilities Review Committee (PURC) to extend the screening period for candidates for the Public Service Commission (PSC), Seats 1, 3, 5, and 7. The committee was required to advertise for an additional time period between January 26, 2020, and February 23, 2020, and to forward the advertisement to media outlets and relevant professional organizations. Additionally, PURC was required to continue accepting applications from February 3, 2020, through noon on February 28, 2020. Any expenses incurred by the committee to qualify and nominate candidates for PSC is borne by the public utilities subject to the jurisdiction of PSC.

This bill simply required PURC to extend the candidate screening period. Screening candidates is an activity that occurs within the normal scope of the committee's business. Consequently, this bill has no expenditure impact on the agency.

State Revenue

N/A

Local Expenditure

N/A

Local Revenue

N/A

A handwritten signature in blue ink, reading "Frank A. Rainwater".

Frank A. Rainwater, Executive Director